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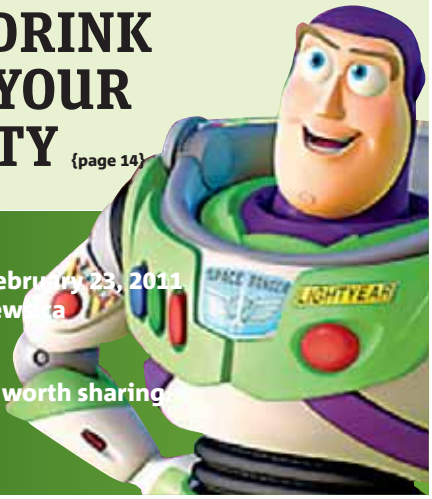

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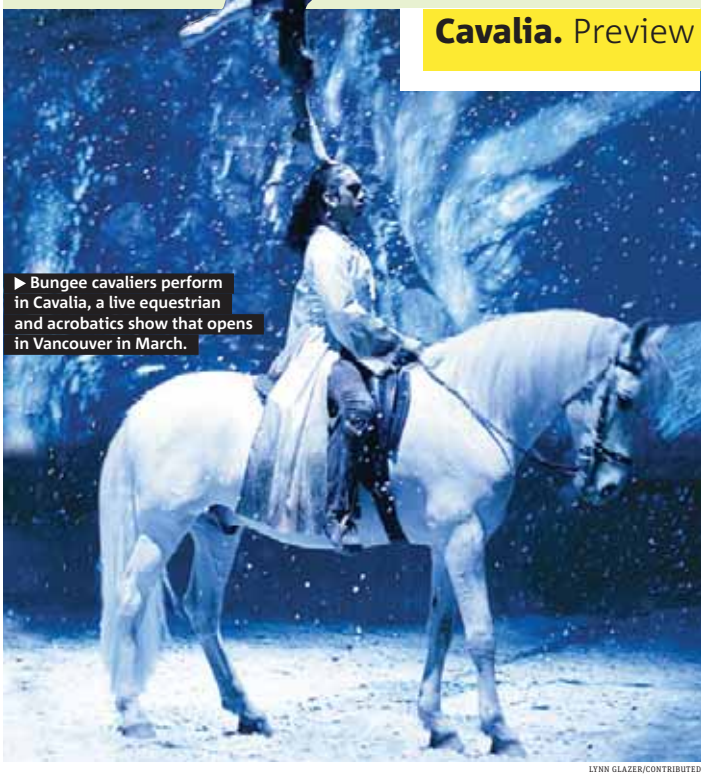

▶ Bungee cavaliers perform in Cavalia, a live equestrian and acrobatics show that opens in Vancouver in March.

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Spectacle set for Vancouver debut

The show is the brainchild of Normand Latourelle — co-founder of Cirque du Soleil — and has been touring North America and Europe for eight years. This is the first time that it's come to Vancouver. Story, page 3.

Canucks can't come back

Habs grab early lead in 3-2 win over Vancouver {page 22}

Cyrus vs. Cyrus escalates

Miley said to be furious over dad's recent comments {page 15}

Village condo sales take off

Marketer says ghost town stigma has been removed

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The time-honoured "location, location, location" mantra in real estate has fallen flat on its face when it comes to the Olympic Village.

Two flaccid campaigns to sell the luxury condos have proven as much, and the current incarnation — the Village on False Creek — has adopted a new, more successful tag line: Pricing, pricing, pricing.

Condo marketer Bob Rennie announced yesterday that 128 condominiums have been sold since the third sales push was launched Thursday with average savings of 30 per cent.

The total value of the sales is $99.7 million.

The four-day figures far exceeded Rennie's pledge to sell 60 condos in 60 days.

"The taxpayer has to feel good that things are moving along properly and that the clouds are rolling away," Rennie said, referring to the approximately $740 million that the city is on the hook for.

"We did have a pricing problem. I think that we've gone from a non-confidence vote to a confidence vote."

But not everyone is thrilled with the news.

MATT KIELTYKA/METRO

▶ Village on False Creek marketer Bob Rennie.

A group of protesters rallied outside the village's sales centre to raise awareness for a planned tent city that's expected to be erected Saturday.

"(The city) hasn't made good on their promises here," said organizer Nathan Crompton.

Advocates want to see the promise of 20 per cent social housing in the village kept, and are also urging the city to purchase 10 housing sites in the Downtown Eastside before the next election.

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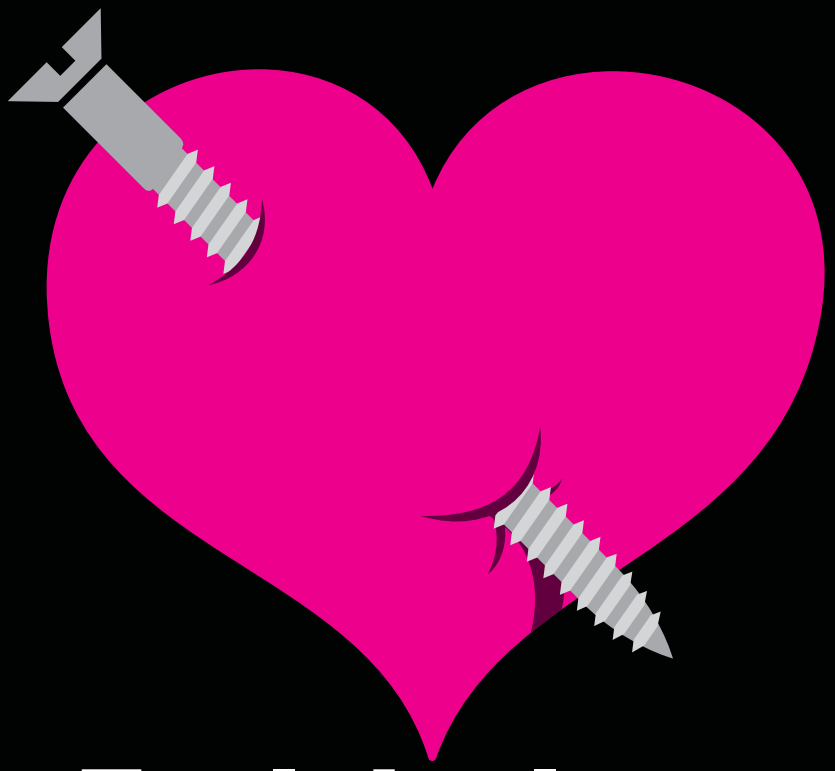

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Falcon top Liberal fundraiser

All four of the B.C. Liberal leadership candidates have released their donor lists ahead of Saturday's big vote.

Although Christy Clark insisted her donors would not be released until after the Feb. 26 leadership vote, the perceived front-runner caved to pressure and joined Mike de Jong, Kevin Falcon and George Abbott in disclosing her full list of campaign boosters.

Falcon led the way with $708,665.48 raised for his campaign.

Candidates are not allowed to spend more than $450,000 on the campaign, and Falcon has vowed to give the rest of his money to the B.C. Liberal party.

Clark raised $519,040, Abbott scrounged up $427,842 while de Jong — who pushed hardest to have the information disclosed — received the smallest amount, $266,450. MATT KIELTYKA

For a list of the top five donors per candidate, visit metronews.ca/vancouver

Thousands of pigeons snatched from farms

Pigeon thieves have scurried off with thousands of birds from three Abbotsford farms over the past four months.

According to Abbotsford police, thieves have stolen 5,360 pigeons in four separate heists dating back to Nov. 27.

The birds, which are called squab and sold for meat, fetch between $3 and $10. The total value of the theft is valued at more than $25,000. NATALIE KAUR JOHAL

NATALIE KAUR JOHAL/FOR METRO

▶ Cavalia's big white top stands fully assembled at 30 metres high at the Olympic Village, yesterday. Its 20-metre-wide stage is big enough to allow horses to reach full gallop.

Show offers equestrian art

Cavalia features 49 horses and 37 riders, aerialists, acrobats, dancers and musicians ◐ The show opens in Vancouver on March 22

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The largest big top tent in the world rolled into Vancouver on seven trailers and yesterday parked itself at Olympic Village in anticipation of Cavalia, a jaw-dropping show that blends equestrian riding with acrobatics.

It's the first time the production — which has been touring North America and Europe for eight years — will be in Vancouver.

Normand Latourelle, co-founder of Cirque du Soleil and creator of Cavalia, said the show celebrates the relationship between humans and horses and features a degree of improvisation.

"The trainers and artists have to adjust themselves because the horses (sometimes) do what they want," Latourelle said.

At times, horses run free, unfettered by bridles or halters.

Latourelle said the tone is one of mutual respect, kindness, patience and trust.

"We are able to achieve so many things (on stage) because we adapted ourselves to (the horses)," he said. "It's very beautiful, very soft. It's a feel-good show. It's as simple as that."

Unique spectacle

Horses and artists perform in front of a constantly changing digital background, drawing spectators into dream-like virtual environments.

1 For information or show tickets visit cavalia.net.

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▶ Ashleigh McIvor says she's 'obsessed with sports.'

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"I NEED THAT ADRENLINE FIX"

A year after she won Olympic gold in women's ski cross, the provincial government today honours Ashleigh McIvor.

It's not every day that someone gets to celebrate a day named after her. What does that feel like and how are you spending it?
It's quite the honour. The Olympics had quite the impact on the nation and it's still such a foreign concept to me that I was part of it. It hasn't really sunk in. I've got plans to sabre champagne at the Barefoot Bistro in Whistler with my friends. I didn't get to really celebrate with them during the Olympics — it was too crazy — so I'm looking forward to that.

How has life changed since the Olympics?
I've been very busy. There's not a lot of time at home but there have been so many amazing opportunities. METRO

Swapping baggage for grocery carts

Airport yesterday launched two-year partnership with Quest Food Exchange ● YVR donated $100,000 toward a new refrigerated truck

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▶ YVR employees and retailers fill Quest Food Exchange's truck with donations yesterday.

Businesses at YVR are giving new meaning to the term "waste not, want not" after partnering with a local organization that takes food slated for the trash and redirects it to needy Lower Mainlanders.

The Airport Authority launched its two-year partnership with Quest Food Exchange yesterday, by donating 50 carts of food brought in by some of Sea Island's 23,000 employees.

"There are over 300 businesses at the airport and we've partnered them up so they can make direct donations to Quest," said Anne Murray, vice-president of community and environmental affairs with YVR.

"It's good for the environment (and) it's good for the community."

Peter Brasso, chair of the Quest board, said he's "blown away" that YVR contacted the organization in search of partnership.

"What they liked was how, instead of just writing a cheque to a faceless charity, they can see the trucks delivering (food)," he said.

"We see a huge potential (by) partnering with a small town (like the Airport Authority)."

On a quest

- Quest picks up food that would otherwise go to waste from wholesalers and other businesses.
- The organization delivers it to some 300 social service programs including soup kitchens, school meal programs and Quest's own low-cost grocery stores that are open on a referral basis.
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N.Z. police set curfew

One of the city's tallest buildings, the 27-floor Hotel Grand Chancellor, in imminent danger of collapsing City resembles 'war zone': Resident

Police have announced a nighttime curfew in parts of New Zealand's Christchurch city that were devastated by an earthquake.

Supt. Dave Cliff told reporters that anyone found on the streets in a cordoned-off area of downtown after 6:30 p.m. local time would be arrested.

He says the area is too dangerous because buildings weakened by the temblor, which hit on Tuesday, local time, could by toppled by aftershocks still rumbling through the city.

Officials have urged the city's 350,000 residents to stay home unless absolutely necessary during the initial stage of the emergency.

The 6.3-magnitude quake collapsed buildings, caused extensive other damage and amassed a official death toll — officially at least 75 as of press time — that was almost sure to rise in the coming days.

Officials say at least 100 more people are missing.

Parts of the city of 350,000 people lay in ruins, and all corners of it were suffering cuts to water supplies, power and phones.

"There are bodies littering the streets, they are trapped in cars, crushed under rubble and where they are clearly deceased our focus ... has turned to the living," Supt. Russell Gibson said.

"We are getting texts and tapping sounds from some of these buildings and that's where our focus is." THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Details

- **Tour guides** at the Tasman Glacier in the Southern Alps say the quake shook some 30 million tons of ice off the glacier, forming icebergs in the lake. The falling ice created waves up to 3.5-metres high, which swept up and down the lake for 30 minutes.
- **Christchurch's** airport was closed for a time, and reopened for emergency flights. Officials said domestic flights would resume today.
- **A more powerful** 7.1-magnitude earthquake hit Christchurch, a city of 350,000, on Sept. 4, but caused no deaths. The U.S. Geological Survey said this quake was an aftershock from September's temblor.
- **New Zealand's** worst earthquake struck in 1931 at Hawke's Bay on the country's North Island, which killed at least 256 people.

MARK MITCHELL/THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

▶ Rescue workers at the collapsed Pyne Gould Guinness Building in central Christchurch yesterday.

Harper offers aid to N.Z.

Prime Minister Stephen Harper offered Canada's help to New Zealand yesterday after a devastating earthquake killed dozens of people.

Harper said all Canadians extend their condolences to those affected, and added that he has a personal connection to the country. His wife, Laureen, lived in Christchurch as a young girl and his family still has friends there that they are trying to contact, Harper said, adding he is making official contact with New Zealand's prime minister to offer assistance.

Friends and relatives seeking information on Canadian citizens believed to be in the affected areas have been urged to contact the Foreign Affairs Department. The department said yesterday it had no reports of any Canadians affected by the 6.3-magnitude quake. THE CANADIAN PRESS

Choppers risky for search and rescue: Study

A Defence Department study says it's risky for the air force to continue using Griffon helicopters for search-and-rescue in Central Canada.

The review by the chief of air force development cites limitations of the CH-146, pressed into service in 2005 at Canadian Forces Base Trenton, Ont., because the military's principal search helicopter is often not available.

The air force intends to keep using the Griffon at the base until at least 2014, say briefing notes for Defence Minister Peter MacKay.

But the 2009 air force study, obtained under the Access to Information Act, said the helicopter's "capabilities are challenged" when employed as a frontline rescue aircraft and its use constitutes a "risk."

The CH-146, a military version of the Bell 412 civilian chopper, is too small and lacks the range to reach wilderness sites in Northern Ontario and Quebec without refuelling.

Having to stop for gas "increases the response time to an incident site, and the amount of time the helicopter can remain on the scene to perform rescue tasks," said the 20-page censored report.

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▶ The CH-146 Griffon helicopter was not designed for rescue.

Air force planners are particularly nervous about using Griffons over the Great Lakes because it has no emergency flotation devices.

"In a ditching scenario, the aircraft would sink quickly and most likely roll over in the process leaving very little time for the crew to safely egress."

The Defence Department was told to consider modifications to the Griffon.

Jack Harris, the NDP's defence critic, said search-and-rescue is part of the function of government.

"The Canadian people deserve a first-rate, world-class search-and-rescue service," he said. "The government should find the resources to do it. Canada lags behind the rest of the world."

Bloc Quebecois defence critic Claude Bachand said it's been clear for a long time the CH-146 wasn't suitable for the role in Trenton, but the findings of the study are "very alarming" and the Conservative should recognize that SAR is an essential service. THE CANADIAN PRESS

Problems

Among the problems the report cites with using the CH-146 Griffon for search-and-rescue:

- No GPS
- No all-weather radar
- Limited communications
- No de-icing system (imperative in winter rescues)
- No emergency flotation devices

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Gadhafi calls on supporters, vows to keep fighting

- Eastern cities, oilfields under control of protesters
- Libyan ambassadors abroad reject regime

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▶ Moammar Gadhafi on Libyan state television.

A defiant Moammar Gadhafi vowed to fight to his "last drop of blood" yesterday and roared at supporters to strike back against Libyan protesters to defend his embattled regime, signalling an escalation of the crackdown that has thrown the capital into mayhem, with wild shooting and bodies in the streets.

The speech by the Libyan leader — who shouted and pounded his fists on the podium — was an all-out call for his backers to impose control over the capital and take back other cities. After a week of upheaval, protesters backed by defecting army troops have claimed control over almost the entire eastern half of Libya's 1,600-kilometre Mediterranean coast, including several oil-producing areas.

"You men and women who love Gadhafi ... get out of your homes and fill the streets," he said. "Leave your homes and attack them in their lairs."

Celebratory gunfire by Gadhafi supporters rang out in the capital of Tripoli after the leader's speech, while in protester-held Benghazi, Libya's second-largest city, people threw shoes at a screen showing his address, venting their contempt.

The UN Security Council held an emergency meeting on the Libyan crisis yesterday that ended with a statement condemning the crackdown, expressing "grave concern" and calling for an "immediate end to the violence."

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Linked to Berlusconi, Ruby moves on

A camera-happy Austrian says he has booked a young woman linked to the sex scandal engulfing Italian Prime Minister Silvio Berlusconi as his companion for the Vienna Opera Ball next week.

Richard Lugner is a 78-year-old construction mogul who is a regular on reality TV and known for his young girlfriends and quirky ways. Every year, he takes a different celebrity to the flashy bash amid much media attention.

Lugner said yesterday he's received a completed contract from Karima el-Mahroug, an 18-year-old nicknamed Ruby, who is at the heart of the Italian scandal.

She replaces actress Bo Derek and two other unnamed celebrities who fell through in recent weeks. Lugner's past dates include Paris Hilton and Nicollette Sheridan. This year's Opera Ball is March 3.

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▶ Americans Phyllis Macay and Bob Riggle were killed by Somali pirates.

Pirates kill 4 U.S. hostages

An adventurous quartet of yachters from California and Washington state were living their dreams, friends say, retiring and sailing around the world, until they were shot and killed by Somali pirates yesterday.

The yacht's owners, Jean and Scott Adam of Marina del Rey, near Los Angeles, along with Bob Riggle and Phyllis Macay of Seattle, were taken hostage Friday several hundred kilometres south of Oman.

Their deaths mark the first time U.S. citizens have been killed in a wave of pirate attacks plaguing the Gulf of Aden and the Indian Ocean for years.

U.S. naval forces, who were trailing the Americans' captured yacht with four warships, quickly boarded the vessel after hearing gunfire. They tried to provide lifesaving care to the Americans, but they died of their wounds, U.S. Central Command in Tampa, Fla., said in a statement. THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

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GASOLINE RALLY

No shocks expected at pumps

Canadian gasoline prices will stay high but stable amid political unrest in the oil-rich Middle East, analysts say.

The national average for a litre of regular gas yesterday was $1.13, Gasbuddy.com reports. That's up about 14 per cent from the same time last year but little changed from a month ago, when tension erupted in the Arab world.

The North American supply of crude oil is high, keeping prices level, said Chris Feltin of Macquarie Research in Calgary. THE CANADIAN PRESS

Legal fight brewing over sponsorship deal

JONATHAN HAYWARD/THE CANADIAN PRESS

▶ Molson won the first period in the NHL sponsorship game, but rival Labatt is vowing to drop the mitts.

Market moment

TSX	Dollar	Oil	Natural gas 1,000 cu ft
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			Gold contracts $1,401.10 (+ $12.50)

PHOTOS AS OF 3 P.M. YESTERDAY

Molson takes Labatt to the boards as 'official beer' of the NHL

Molson Canadian is set to become the official beer of the NHL — but not if Labatt has anything to say about it.

In a deal announced yesterday, Molson has signed on for what is believed to be the most lucrative sponsorship in league history. Terms of the seven-year deal weren't disclosed, but a source said it came in at slightly more than $375 million US.

The agreement with brewers Molson Coors in Canada and MillerCoors in the U.S. will see the sister companies heavily represented across the NHL calendar starting next season.

"Molson Canadian is really synonymous with hockey ... so this is a really nice fit with what the brand is all about," said Dave Perkins, president and CEO of Molson Coors Canada.

"It's a monster deal. (Molson is) going to have major positions across all of our events."
JOHN COLLINS, CHIEF OPERATING OFFICER, NHL

But Labatt Breweries of Canada, the official beer sponsor of the NHL for more than a decade, said it may consider legal action, insisting Labatt and the NHL had agreed on the terms to renew its sponsorship deal until 2014.

"We have an agreement with the league and are pursuing all legal remedies to enforce this agreement," said Charlie Angelakos, Labatt's vice-president of corporate affairs. "We will pursue this aggressively." THE CANADIAN PRESS

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FAMILY HAS BECOME A ROYAL BORE

Just sayin'

PAUL SULLIVAN

Is it just me or is this Kate Middleton/Prince William/Colin Firth edition of the British Royal Family really boring?

Whatever happened to the scandal-ridden good old days of Sarah Ferguson, the "Duchess of Pork," Prince Andrew, Prince Charles and Camilla Parker-Bowles, oh my, not to mention Dodi Fayed and the tragic Princess Di?

That stuff was a thrill a minute. Remember when Charles was caught imagining himself as a tampon in Camilla's "trousers?" A sublime combination of titillating and disgusting — those were the days.

Now, all of a sudden, Britain's foremost dysfunctional family is getting a radical makeover. William and Kate are perfect, well-behaved and beautiful. Neither has been caught getting his or her toes sucked, having an affair with a dashing cavalry major, or offering "access" to Prince Andrew for the equivalent of $720,000.

And adding insult to injury, the latest English stuffed-costume drama, The King's Speech, turns George VI's speech impediment into an adventure worthy of the quest for the Holy Grail, starring Firth. It manages to redeem the entire Royal Family by elevating the good son, Albert, over the bad son, Edward. And, of course, Albert — George VI — was Queen Elizabeth's father. Good breeding and all that.

For years, good Queen Bess used to stomp around this or that royal pile with the corgis, grumbling about her wayward children. But now, in her dotage, the next generation has come off the bench and saved the day. Hooray for England!

Bah.

Still, we who thirst for royal scandals can "keep our peckers up," as my English grandmother used to say to a chorus of stifled guffaws. Prince Charles and his *Camilla horribilis* refuse to go away. He still wants awfully to be king even though the entire known universe prefers Wills and Kate.

And then there's Harry, William's kid brother, and a real scandal looking for a place to erupt. Even though he's still younger than 30, he has managed to offend … everyone. Referring to a Pakistani commander as a "raghead," smoking marijuana and getting into a fight with a photographer outside a nightclub — all good. But he displayed world-class bad taste when he turned up at a party in Nazi brownshirt regalia, evoking memories of his great grand uncle Edward's fondness for Hitler and his legendary capacity for making the trains run on time.

For now, though, someone has got Harry, Fergie, Andy, Charles and Camilla, etc., on a short leash, and Kate and Wills and honorary Windsor Colin are having their moment in the spotlight.

As they used to say in the tea commercials: Pity.

Read more of Paul Sullivan's columns at metronews.ca/justsaying

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MICHAEL DE ADDER

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Worth mentioning

Hot stuff

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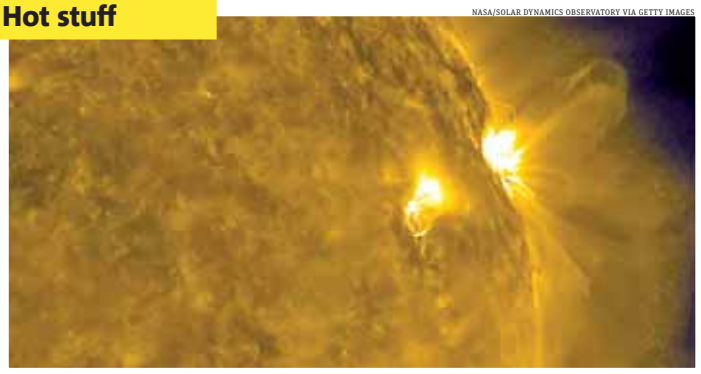

Leading scientists are warning that a massive solar storm could trigger a $2-trillion "global Katrina" that short-circuits power grids worldwide.

"Power grids, air traffic control systems and intelligent transport systems need to be looked at," Stephan Lechner, director of the European Commission Institute for Protection and Security of the Citizen, told a weekend meeting.

"This is not a matter of if, it is simply a matter of when and how big," said Jane Lubchenco, head of the U.S. National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration.

"There will be space weather storms that are more frequent and more powerful," NOAA space scientist Joseph Kunches told the Toronto Star yesterday. "We're entering a new solar season."

Just what will be hit and how is part of what scientists are debating.

Powerful solar flares ignite a geomagnetic storm that can shoot direct currents into the power grid, Kunches explained. The domino effect could cripple transformers and special equipment that could take months or years to replace, he said.

Power grids operate with expensive "not off-the-shelf" machinery. Hence, the $2-trillion price tag.

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Metro Minute with Pink Shirt Day

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▶ Vancouver secondary school students staged an anti-bullying flash mob at Oakridge Centre in January.

Wear pink today to fight bullying. The anti-bullying campaign, Pink Shirt Day — Bullying Stops Here, runs today across the Lower Mainland. People are encouraged to wear pink shirts to show support against bullying.

Two high school students in Nova Scotia organized the original event in 2007 after a new Grade 9 student was bullied for wearing a pink shirt on his first day of school. The pair wore and distributed pink shirts in a stand against bullying. You can support the program by buying official Pink Shirt Day shirts. The money raised will be used for anti-bullying educational programs. For more info, go to pinkshirtday.ca.

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Oscar-themed mixes and munchies make the party

Metro's entertainment staff cooks up some apps and aperitifs for hours of speeches from the kings and queens of the acting world Punch up an award-winning night with themes

PARTY THEME

Want to score a TKO? Transform your Oscar party into a boxing ring — complete with robes and gloves. A punching bag may help the frustration if your film doesn't win.

THE MUNCHIES

The film is set in Boston, so some piping hot clam chowder is the perfect fit. For dessert — a Boston Cream Pie. If your guests are still puckish, try some Knuckle Sandwiches.

THE MIX

Beer is the drink of choice. Try serving up some cold Samuel Adams — named after one of the Founding Fathers of the United States.

Drape your castle in some Union Jack-themed bunting. Give each of your guests a microphone so they can make their own acceptance speeches.

At one point in the film, the future king was forced to place marbles in his mouth. We have a tastier option: crumpets, scones and cucumber sandwiches — without the crusts.

For the teetotalers, we suggest a good brew, like Earl Grey. For those who want something a little stronger, try a gin and tonic or a good whiskey.

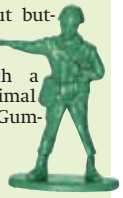
This film may be a Western, but there's no need to keep things traditional. Forego the hay bales, but provide your guests with cowboy hats and fake sheriffs' badges.

We recommend bison burgers to keep your guests well fed. Trail mix will satisfy their hunger as the awards show broadcast drags on longer then expected.

Spoiler alert! Serve up Snakebites made from equal parts of lager and cider with a dash of blackcurrent cordial.

Have your guests show up with their favourite toy or stuffed animal. Place toy soldiers strategically around the room to add a bit of whimsy.

Serve peanut butter and jelly sandwiches with a side of animal crackers or Gummi Bears.



Jell-o shots are a great way to bring out the kid in any adult. Alternatively, serve glasses of cold milk — well, a White Russian — or juice boxes spiked with vodka.

Drop by your local Mountain Equipment Co-op and pick up some climbing ropes you can hang from your ceiling.

Power bars will keep your guests' energy levels up as the lengthy broadcast plays out.

Give everyone a water bottle filled with their favourite spirits. They can also sip on Orange Gatorade — that James Franco craves in the film.

MORE MIX 'N MUNCHIES

INCEPTION

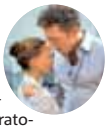
- Have your guests arrive dressed like Sigmund Freud and spend the commercial breaks analyzing each other's dreams.

WINTER'S BONE

- Bud and Bud Lite are both from Missouri, where this Ozark-tale is set.

BLACK SWAN

- Pretend its opening night and splash open a bottle of celebratory champagne while a Tchaikovsky score plays quietly in the background to set the mood.



THE KID'S ARE ALRIGHT

- Serve Californian red wine and a meal made with organic ingredients grown locally as an homage to actor Mark Ruffalo's character in the film, who owns an organic food restaurant.

THE SOCIAL NETWORK

- Who cares about the awards, invite your friends over and Facebook all night.

Stolen Gossip

A Spanish photo agency says coveted shots of Shakira holding hands with Barcelona football player Gerard Pique that are circulating on the Internet had been stolen by a computer hacker from a temporary Internet file. The agency Gtres-On-line and other agencies had been planning to sell these photos to Spanish and other publications as exclusives.

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Cyrus furious over father's comments

Miley said to be finished defending her dad's bashing of family problems

Miley Cyrus is putting a leash on her dad, Billy Ray Cyrus, as his media blitz escalates.

"When Miley found out her father was scheduled to appear on The View on Wednesday she went nuts," a source tells Popeater.

"Only last week, Billy shot his mouth off in GQ, and now he planned to sit down with (Barbara and Whoopi) and talk more crap about his family. No way would Miley or her team let that happen."

Billy Ray has used previous interviews to compare his daughter to Anna Nicole Smith and blame Disney and Hannah Montana for destroying his family.

"At first Miley defended her dad, wanting to believe he had been tricked into saying bad things by the magazine," another source says.

"But after she found out about his media trip to New York, no more excuses could be made."

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"After she found out ... no more excuses could be made."
SOURCE

ALL PHOTOS GETTY IMAGES

▶ Miley Cyrus is said to be furious over her father's latest comments.

Lainey's Oscar file

▶ Natalie Portman

BEST ACTRESS: NATALIE PORTMAN

Winter's Bone

Portman is one of the few celebrities who can boast of a very low Erdos-Bacon score which calculates the "collaborate distance" of a person in relation to Hungarian mathematician Paul Erdos and actor Kevin Bacon. She starred with Bacon in New York, I Love You, and co-authored a psychology paper while at Harvard.

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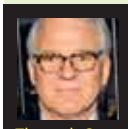
Celebrity tweets

Russell Brand [@rusty-rockets] I notice The Simpsons pierced my nipples, this was never discussed- is this a human rights issue? (I'm a human)

James Franco [@james-franco] Hi everybody, here I am on Twitter! This is my FIRST tweet...



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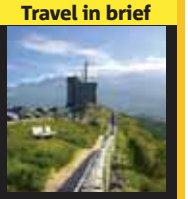

Newfoundland and Labrador says more than 518,000 people visited the province last year. The government says it's the first time more than 500,000 people have visited the province and it pegs the value of the visits at $400 million. It says since 2003, the province has more than doubled its annual spending on tourism marketing, from $6 million to $13 million. The government says the tourism industry employs about 13,000 people. THE CANADIAN PRESS

China's terracotta soldiers occupy Montreal fine arts museum in final show

Best known as a top spot for spring break, South Padre Island has plenty of options to keep visitors active ◆ Great beaches go along with some of the best water sports around

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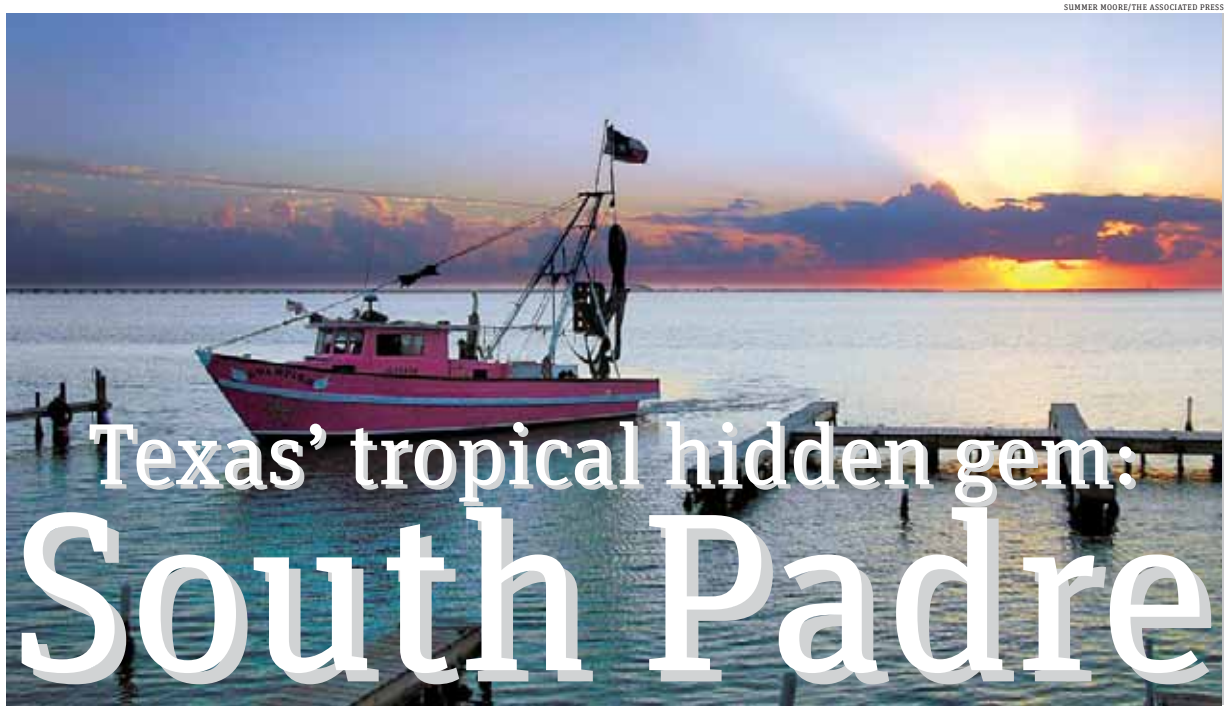

Texas' tropical hidden gem: South Padre

South Padre Island is famous as a spring break destination, with concerts, bikini contests and plenty of partying by the college kids who flock here by the tens of thousands throughout March. But South Padre isn't just beaches, bars and dance parties. It's also home to a major watersports scene, with year-round surfing, kiteboarding, windsurfing and other activities.

South Padre sits on the south end of the 55-kilometre-long Padre Island, which is the longest barrier island in the world. On the ocean side of the narrow strip the island is bordered by the Gulf of Mexico, while three blocks to the west, the bay side sits on Laguna Madre Bay. South Padre Island has a small year-round population, about 5,000, but spring break and summer vacations bring a million tourists a year. March is the busiest month after the summer months, with massive events like the Coca Cola Spring Break party at the Isla Grand Beach Resort attracting crowds of 12,000 to 18,000 college students daily for much of March.

SOUTH PADRE ISLAND CONVENTION AND VISITORS BUREAU

▶ Windsurfing off the coast of South Padre Island.

But even spring-breakers will find plenty to do here aside from partying and lying on the beach: deep-sea fishing, parasailing, golfing, horseback riding, banana boat rides. For nature-lovers, there are more than 300 species of birds, a turtle rescue centre that offers tours and boat rides to see dolphins.

A steady airstream in spring and fall make Laguna Madre Bay a popular place for activities that rely on wind, like kiteboarding and windsurfing. Except for a narrow shipping channel, the water is just one to 1.2 metres deep from the island most of the way across to Port Isabel on the mainland several kilometres away. The shallow, calm water on the bay side makes it easy for watersport beginners to right themselves. Waves provide more of a challenge on the Gulf side for surfers and boarders with more experience. In March, water temperatures range from 16 to 20 C, with air temperatures from 21 to 30 C. Full wetsuits aren't usually needed, though some spring breakers may pair a wetsuit shirt with bikini bottoms or shorts.

Dave Nowak, co-owner of Island Native and an avid surfer, has been in South Padre since 1980. He says he's lived in many other places, including California, but prefers the friendly, laid back surf community here.

The surf is plenty intimidating, but surfers in the water, ranging in age from 14 to 60, laugh and joke around, while shouting free pointers to newcomers.

If surfing isn't your thing try kiteboarding. It's a mash-up of windsurfing, snowboarding and hang-gliding, with your feet strapped to a board, and your torso harnessed to a giant kite as you hang onto a trapeze-like bar attached to the kite. For safety reasons, the beach is split between kiteboarders and windsurfers. THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

If You Go...

- **Getting There:** There are two airports nearby: Valley International Airport in Harlingen, about 70 kilometres away, and Brownsville-South Padre Island International Airport, 42 kilometres away. Most flights routed through Dallas, San Antonio or Houston.
- **Accommodation:** The island offers a variety of lodging, from hotels in every price range, to beachfront condo rentals with kitchens, perfect to shares with friends or family.
- **Windsurf:** Windsurf gear and lessons; windsurftheboatyard.com/ or 956-561-4189. Rentals, $45 a half-day, $60 full day, lessons $40 an hour. Make reservations and you'll be met at Windsurfing Park north of town.
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For little taste buds

These recipes are great for making – and sharing – with your tiny helpers

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Spring is fast approaching, which means it's time to get ready for March Break!

It also means that it's time to dig up some great family recipes.

Not only are these children's favourites, but they are also very nutritious.

First up are my Chicken Fajitas, which are creamy and rich tasting — minus the fat of regular fajitas.

This version has plenty of vegetables, along with some light cheese and sour cream. The whole family will love them

And for dessert, try my Peanut Butter and Jam muffins, which use natural peanut butter.

BOTH PHOTOS: ROSE REISMAN

Yields 6
Prep time: 20 min.
Cooking: 20 min.

▶ You can prep the filling for these Chicken Fajitas a day in advance and store it in the fridge.

Preparation:

1. Preheat oven to 425°F. Line a baking sheet with foil and lightly coat with cooking spray.
2. Lightly coat a nonstick skillet with cooking spray and place over medium-high heat. Cook chicken for about 8 minutes or until cooked and no longer pink. Let rest for 10 minutes; slice thinly. Wipe out pan.
3. Add oil to pan and brown onion and garlic, about 4 minutes. Reduce heat to medium. Stir in red pepper strips and cook until softened, about 5 minutes. Remove pan from heat. Stir in parsley or cilantro, green onions and cooked chicken.
4. Divide the mixture among the tortillas. Top with the cheese, salsa and sour cream. Roll up.
5. Place on the prepared baking sheet. Bake in the centre of the oven for 5 minutes or until the fajitas are heated through and the cheese has melted. Cut in half and serve immediately.

Ingredients:

- 8 oz skinless boneless chicken breasts (about 2 breasts)
- 2 tsp vegetable oil
- 1 1/2 cups thinly sliced white onion
- 1 1/2 tsp finely chopped garlic
- 1 1/2 cups red bell pepper, cut into strips
- 1/4 cup chopped parsley or cilantro
- 3 tbsp chopped green onions
- 6 small (6-inch) flour tortillas
- 1/2 cup shredded light cheddar cheese
- 1/3 cup medium salsa
- 1/4 cup low-fat sour cream

Peanut Butter and Jam Muffins

Ingredients:

- 3 tbsp vegetable oil
- 3/4 cup granulated sugar
- 1 large ripe banana
- 3 tbsp smooth natural peanut butter
- 1 large egg
- 2/3 cup low-fat sour cream
- 1 tsp vanilla extract
- 1 cup all-purpose flour
- 1/4 cup whole wheat flour
- 1 1/2 tsp baking powder
- 1/2 tsp baking soda
- 1 tsp cinnamon
- pinch of salt
- 3 tbsp raspberry jam

Preparation:

1. Preheat oven to 350°F. Coat a 12-cup muffin tin with cooking spray.
2. Using an electric beater, combine oil, sugar, banana, peanut butter, egg, sour cream and vanilla in a bowl. Beat until smooth.
3. In bowl, combine both flours, baking powder, baking soda, cinnamon and salt with a spoon. Add dry ingredients to the wet ones gradually; stir until dry ingredients are moist.
4. Divide mix among the prepared muffin cups. Bake for 15 to 18 minutes, or until a tester inserted in the middle of a muffin comes out clean. Press gently in the centre of each muffin to make an indent and place jam inside.

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Do contracts really matter or are they irrelevant? In the often confusing world of workplace law, why are some agreements upheld, when many others are simply overlooked?

The answer depends on the purpose that the contract is meant to serve.

Independent contractor agreements: It usually will not matter that workers have signed agreements confirming that they are not employees.

"The virtuous man is never a novice in worldly things."
MARCUS VALERIUS MATRIALIS

When this characterization is challenged, sometimes years later, courts and tribunals are apt to find the workers were truly employees. No surprise there. The real test is not what a contract says but how the parties behave.

Post-employment restrictions: Many contracts contain broad restrictions preventing workers from competing with their former employers or soliciting their old clients following their departure. Courts easily strike many of these "agreements" down.

This is because employers often take a kitchen sink approach to drafting employment contracts. They bargain for excessive protection, no matter how junior or administrative the employee. However, in seeking such protection, they sometimes get none at all.

Policy manuals: In one recent case, the employer argued that since the employee had not reported harassment as she was required to under the company's policy manual, the company could not take any steps to address it.

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▶ The more ambiguous an employee's contract is, the more it will be disregarded in court.

As a result, it argued, it was the employee who had breached the employment relationship, not the harasser. The court easily dismissed this notion.

Although terms in a policy manual can sometimes operate as conditions of an employee's job, those terms must be reasonable or they will not be upheld.

Termination clauses: Similarly, contractual language surrounding termination is often challenged.

This is because even without a contract, there is an implied right to reasonable treatment upon termination. Why would anyone agree to anything less?

Seldom do employees negotiate contracts on the same footing as their employer.

Therefore, courts have developed a number of tests. If the contract is ambiguous, fails to respect statutory standards or is executed under duress, it will be set aside.

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Resumé wrong-turns

Skip the PDFs and Word documents, and prioritize projects over poetry

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▶ You've got plenty to offer and you know it. So don't let your generic CV get lost in the pack!

The look, feel and font of the day's standard resumé has changed as frequently as the screens we peruse them on, and yet "people are still making the same resumé mistakes they've always been making," bemoans Blue Skies Resumé President Louise Fletcher.

"The number one problem people have," she explains, "is what they think their resumé is. They approach it as a place to list every company they've worked at, when actually they should think of it as an advertisement or a promotional piece."

"Not being concise enough is a huge problem," concurs certified resumé writer Laura Smith-Proulx.

And not just because you could over-share your way out of an interview.

"If you have every job you've had on there since 1979," she warns, "you're opening yourself up to age bias."

In the new millennium of buzzing smart phones and insta-resumé scanners, there's only one form of discrimination worse than age bias – pdf bias.

"Never send a Word or pdf copy unless it's specifically requested," cautions Margaret Riley Dikel, author of the Guide to Internet Job Searching.

Assume, she counters, that the bigwig making the company hires is breezing through the company inbox on a BlackBerry.

"Take your Word doc and convert it into the body of your e-mail," she advises.

Show Your Math

Unless you're angling for a stint as a professional cliché writer, don't bother thesaurus-digging for synonyms for "self-motivated," or "forward-thinking."

When it comes to speed-reading résumés, Proulx notes, the powers-that-hire want to see math, not language arts.

"Use metrics to back up what you've done," she says. "If you worked on a great project, tell me what you did."

"Most people," Laura Smith-Proulx adds, "just don't back up and see what they can really do for an employer."

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From rat race to slow trot

- Modern wanderer redefines the concept of home
- Relishes in the rigours and risks of the 19th century

Bridles jingle and heavy hooves tap a metronomic clip-clop as the ungainly wagon claims yet another kilometre.

It glides past a row of Main Street houses, past road signs touting this business, that fraternal group, the local team who were champions. Vehicles, horseless ones, slow to take in the outlandish muscles of the four giant draft horses.

Bob Skelding, holding the draft team's reins, has rolled through thousands of these towns,

From the start he has said he didn't care exactly where he went from day to day, did not have an end point, or any special point at all.

The trip began, in a sense, in his boyhood in Michigan, where his grandfather had a farm and became famous for raising and selling draft horses.

In time, Bob would become part of the community that raises and uses them. He'd marry, get a job, raise kids, live life. Horses were always part of that. When other children trick-or-treated on foot, his went house-to-house by horse-drawn wagon, his daughter, Lisa Skelding, says.

And by the time those kids were almost through college, an idea that had been in Skelding's mind for a while nudged forward and wouldn't go away. He was approaching 50. His second marriage was breaking down; the divorce became the final push.

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▶ Bob Skelding embraces his horse Doc in Albion, Indiana.

"You come out of a divorce grasping for something. ... It forced me into this do-over position.

"He just all of a sudden told me, 'Hey, I'm going to take this trip,"' his daughter says.

It would be a trip by horse and wagon, at five kilometres an hour. He'd later say it was to "rebuild my life."

Deerfield, N.H., where Skelding was living when his plan dawned, is a charming colonial village. His white house, circa 1760, with its adjacent white barn, became his centre of operations – although selling the house and parting with most of his belongings was part of his preparation.

By hand, using a wagon bed and plywood, he built a rolling house, about 2 1/2-by-five metres. It had a bed, tiny kitchen, commode and shower, and storage for himself and his horses. He attached a solar panel to the front for power.

It was August 2008 when he set out. Heading west, first into Vermont and then New York State, he followed back roads whenever possible, picking up skill and confidence as a teamster.

From the start he knew he wanted to produce an online journal and had equipped his rig with a computer; a wireless connection was one of his few fixed costs. (That, plus food for himself and the horses and incidentals, ran to about $1,000 a month.)

By New Year's, he had travelled more than 1,900 kilometres.

"When you elect to do your life over," says Skelding, "it's fully, partially, or not at all."

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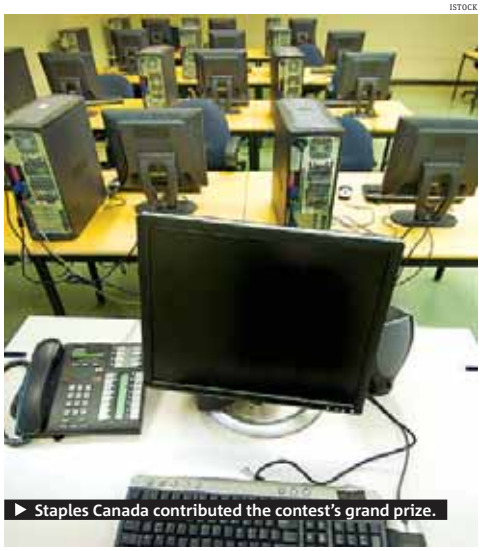

Staples Canada contributed the contest's grand prize.

Students at Dover Bay Secondary School in Nanaimo, B.C. are celebrating their achievement in environmental responsibility with the installation of a $50,000 computer lab, the grand prize in a nationwide Staples Canada essay contest.

Last year every publicly funded elementary, middle and secondary school in Canada was invited to submit a 500-word essay for the Recycle For Education Computer Lab Contest, hosted by Staples Canada. Judges were looking for creativity, scope, and the steps taken to make the school more eco-responsible with measurable results.

"Providing the results was important and so was the genuine school spirit when it came to energy savings, recycling, and environmental protection," says Staples Canada president, Steve Matyas. "Best practises included activities like collecting rain water, changing to lower wattage fluorescent bulbs, or planting a garden to grow food for cafeteria meals.

In addition to Dover Bay, the four other finalists were: W.C. Miller Collegiate in Altona, Manitoba (2nd place); Heritage Park Secondary, Mission, B.C. (3rd place); L'école secondaire publique Gisèle–Lalonde, Orleans, Ontario (4th place); L'école secondaire Cardinal–Roy, Quebec City, Quebec (5th place).

"It was inspiring to read all the essays and learn what young people are doing to protect the environment," continued Matyas. "To have people as young as six years old (and potentially younger) think positively about protecting our earth is such a special quality to have – and we are thrilled to recognize this act of hard work."

Dover Bay claimed the grand prize computer lab for such initiatives as starting an environment club, performing a waste vs. recycling audit, and participating in environmental competitions.

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Habs strike early to topple Canucks

- Daniel Sedin now NHL points leader
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CANADIENS	CANUCKS
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The Montreal Canadiens scored first-period goals 69 seconds apart, then relied on goaltender Carey Price to make some key saves for a 3-2 win over the Vancouver Canucks last night.

David Desharnais and Brian Gionta gave Montreal the early lead. Andrei Kostitsyn also scored for the Canadiens, who snapped a three-game losing skid.

Scott Gomez earned his 500th assist, becoming the 16th American to reach that mark.

Price, who grew up in Anahim Lake, made 37 saves. He made big stops off Mikael Samuelsson, Alex Burrows and Sami Salo in the third when the Canucks were pressing for the tying goal.

Henrik Sedin and Samuelsson scored power-play goals for Vancouver.

Daniel Sedin collected an assist, giving him 78 points on the season (32 goals, 46 assists), three more than Steven Stamkos of the Tampa Bay Lightning for the league lead.

Henrik Sedin's goal gives him 73 points.

The Canadiens, who came into the game with just one win in their previous seven starts, improved to 32-22-7 for 71 points. The victory was Montreal's first in eight games in Vancouver.

The Canucks dropped to 38-14-9 but remain first overall in the NHL with 85 points, two more than Philadelphia.

The West hadn't been kind to the Canadiens. The Habs came in having lost to both Edmonton and Calgary, in Sunday's outdoor game, by a combined score of 8-1.

The Canadiens, smarting from consecutive losses in Alberta, put the Canucks on their heels early.

Vancouver had two defencemen return to their lineup. Dan Hamhuis, who missed five games with a concussion, and Keith Ballard, out six with a knee injury, both played. THE CANADIAN PRESS

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▶ Brian Gionta jumps out of the way of a shot while goalie Roberto Luongo makes a save last night.

Quoted

"Every team needs a 1, 1A punch. And so with the ways that we both can score .... we're very versatile, so it's hard to guard us."

NEW YORK KNICKS FORWARD AMARE STOUDEMIRE ON HIS TEAM'S TRADE FOR CARMELO ANTHONY, WHICH WAS COMPLETED LAST NIGHT.

"I think it's great for the NBA. The fact that the Knicks are back, the Celtics have been back for the last few years and all the other teams are trying to compete, I think it's great."

LEBRON JAMES

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Opinion

RORY BOYLEN
THE HOCKEY NEWS

FEW STARS IN CANUCKS' PIPELINE

OK, so the Vancouver Canucks aren't loaded in the prospect department, but that's OK: They are a contender for now and probably the next few years, so the distant future isn't a pressing issue.

With two Canucks players making our top-75 NHL-affiliated prospects list in our annual Future Watch edition, only the Nashville Predators, Boston Bruins, Philadelphia Flyers and San Jose Sharks have fewer. Former No. 2-ranked prospect Cody Hodgson settles in at No. 16, while Jordan Schroeder squeezes in at No. 71.

Hodgson, of course, missed nearly the entire 2009-10 season with an injury and his 18 points in 34 American League games this season were underwhelming. In a brief call-up with Vancouver right now, Hodgson hasn't seen much ice time, but he has two points and maintains an even rating. Two years ago, before his injury, he was No. 2 on this list and was bumped to No. 4 last season.

Schroeder also dropped from No. 57 last year to his current standing. He has the explosive speed any small player needs to reach the NHL level and he's figuring to be more of a playmaker than a goalscorer. While he has been putting up points at about the same rate as Hodgson was in the AHL, Schroeder will still need a couple years of pro hockey until he's ready for the NHL. But with the Canucks sitting where they are, they have all the time in the world.

Graduating from last year's list is Cory Schneider. He was No. 20 in 2010, but his full-time NHLer status will take him out of the Future Watch pages and onto our TV screens.

As far as the Canucks' in-system ranking goes, last year's No. 5 prospect, Sergei Shirokov, dropped to No. 9. As for progression, free-agent signings Eddie Lack and Chris Tanev occupy slots three and five, while Kevin Connauton, Yann Sauve and Anton Rodin all moved up.

So how does the Canucks system stack up to the rest of the NHL? Two years ago a C grade had Vancouver ranked 27th in the league and last year's C+ moved them up to No. 22. Now that Schneider has graduated and Michael Grabner has graduated and changed organizations, the Canucks system certainly has a bit of a different look to it.

But to find out exactly where they rank, you'll have to pick up a copy of Future Watch, available on newsstands March 14.

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d-Boston	60	34	19	2	5	188	145	75	15-12-1-2	19-7-1-3	5-5-0-0	W3
Pittsburgh	61	36	20	2	3	178	147	77	20-11-1-0	16-9-1-3	4-5-0-1	L2
Washington	61	32	19	5	5	165	153	74	17-7-2-5	15-12-3-0	5-4-0-1	W2
Montreal	61	32	22	4	3	157	156	71	19-7-3-3	13-15-1-0	4-4-0-2	W1
NY Rangers	62	32	26	2	2	172	155	68	14-14-1-2	18-12-1-0	3-6-0-1	W1
Carolina	61	28	24	4	5	177	188	65	15-10-1-2	13-14-3-3	3-4-2-1	L2
Buffalo	58	27	25	6	0	166	171	60	12-15-2-0	15-10-4-0	5-4-1-0	L3
Atlanta	60	25	25	4	6	173	197	60	13-12-1-4	12-13-3-2	2-7-1-0	L3
Toronto	60	26	27	3	4	152	180	59	14-11-3-3	12-16-0-1	6-2-1-1	W1
Florida	59	25	27	3	4	155	163	57	12-11-3-3	13-16-0-1	3-5-1-1	L1
New Jersey	60	26	30	3	1	129	161	56	13-13-2-1	13-17-0-1	9-0-1-0	W8
NY Islanders	61	23	31	3	4	167	198	53	12-14-1-3	11-17-2-1	7-3-0-0	L1
Ottawa	59	19	31	5	4	132	194	47	9-16-2-3	10-15-3-1	2-6-1-1	W1

WESTERN CONFERENCE

	GP	W	L	OTL	SL	GF	GA	Pts	Home	Away	Last 10	Strk
d-Vancouver	61	38	14	4	5	204	145	85	21-5-1-4	17-9-3-1	6-4-0-0	L1
d-Detroit	60	37	17	4	2	202	173	80	17-9-3-1	20-8-1-1	6-4-0-0	L1
d-Phoenix	61	33	19	6	3	175	169	75	15-10-3-2	18-9-3-1	8-2-0-0	W8
San Jose	61	34	21	4	2	171	157	74	15-10-2-1	19-11-2-1	8-2-0-0	W4
Minnesota	60	32	22	1	5	158	156	70	16-12-0-3	16-10-1-2	6-3-0-1	W1
Nashville	60	31	21	5	3	156	143	70	14-6-4-3	17-15-1-0	4-4-1-1	L2
Calgary	62	31	23	3	5	186	178	70	18-10-1-2	13-13-2-3	6-2-1-1	L1
Los Angeles	59	32	23	2	2	163	142	68	17-9-1-0	15-14-1-2	6-1-1-2	L2
Anaheim	60	32	24	2	2	169	178	68	17-9-0-1	15-15-2-1	6-4-0-0	L3
Chicago	60	31	23	2	4	191	169	68	18-14-0-0	13-9-3-3	5-3-0-2	W2
Dallas	60	31	23	2	4	164	172	68	17-9-2-3	14-14-0-1	1-8-1-0	L5
Columbus	59	30	23	3	3	163	175	66	15-13-0-2	15-10-3-1	6-3-0-1	W2
St. Louis	59	27	23	4	5	166	176	63	18-10-1-3	9-13-3-2	5-3-1-1	L2
Colorado	60	26	27	7	0	177	205	59	14-14-4-0	12-13-3-0	1-8-1-0	W1
Edmonton	60	19	33	1	7	151	202	46	10-17-1-3	9-16-1-3	4-6-0-0	L1

d — division leaders ranked 1-2-3 regardless of points; a team winning in overtime or shootout is credited with two points and a victory in the W column; the team losing in overtime or shootout receives one point which is registered in the OTL (overtime loss) or SL (shootout loss) column.

Last night's results
Toronto 2 N.Y. Islanders 1
Phoenix 3 Philadelphia 2 (OT)
N.Y. Rangers 4 Carolina 3 (SO)
San Jose 4 Detroit 3
Columbus 4 Nashville 0
Minnesota 4 Edmonton 1
Colorado 4 St. Louis 3
New Jersey 1 Dallas 0
Boston 3 Calgary 1
Montreal 3 Vancouver 2
Chicago 5 St. Louis 3
N.Y. Islanders 5 Florida 1
Washington 1 Pittsburgh 0
Monday's games
(All times Eastern)
Atlanta at Buffalo, 7 p.m.
Florida at Ottawa, 7 p.m.
San Jose at Pittsburgh, 7:30 p.m.
Phoenix at Tampa Bay, 7:30 p.m.
Edmonton at Colorado, 9:30 p.m.
Los Angeles at Anaheim, 10 p.m.

BRUINS 3, FLAMES 1

First Period
1. Boston, Lucic 25 (Krejci, McQuaid) 0:59
Penalty — Ryder Bos (hooking) 2:30.
Second Period
No Scoring.
Penalty — Glencross Cal (double high-sticking) 17:34.
Third Period
2. Boston, Marchand 19 (Bergeron, Ference) 5:55
3. Calgary, Glencross 20 (Iginla, Tanguay) 17:27 (pp)
4. Boston, Lucic 26 (Krejci, Recchi) 19:13 (en)
Penalty — Bergeron Bos (slashing) 16:56.
Shots

Boston	7	10	12—29
Calgary	13	9	7—29

Goal — Boston: Thomas (W,27-8-6); Calgary: Kiprusoff (L,27-20-4). **Power plays (goals-chances)** — Boston: 0-2; Calgary: 1-2.
Att. — 19,289 (19,289) at Calgary.

CANADIENS 3, CANUCKS 2

First Period
1. Montreal, Desharnais 6 (Pouliot, Gill) 6:07
2. Montreal, Gionta 22 (Subban, Gomez) 7:16
Penalties — Torres Vcr (charging) 3:42, Hamrlik Mtl (hooking) 13:09, Mara Mtl (hooking) 15:48, Raymond Vcr (holding) 19:23.
Second Period
3. Vancouver, H. Sedin 15 (Samuelsson, Kesler) 3:27 (pp)
4. Montreal, Kostitsyn 14 (Eller, Wisniewski)) 10:36
Penalties — Price Mtl (delay of game, served by Pouliot) 3:01, Pacioretty Mtl (cross-checking) 4:07, Pouliot Mtl (interference) 18:00, Halpern Mtl (hooking) 19:23.
Third Period
5. Vancouver, Samuelsson 17 (Ehrhoff, D. Sedin) 1:06 (pp)
Penalty — Burrows Vcr (high-sticking) 2:07.
Shots

Montreal	16	4	5—25
Vancouver	12	14	13—39

Goal — Montreal: Price (W,28-20-6); Vancouver: Luongo (L,28-11-7). **Power plays (goals-chances)** — Montreal: 0-3; Vancouver: 2-6.
Att. — 18,860 at Vancouver.

SCORING LEADERS

	G	A	PT
D.Sedin, Vcr	32	46	78
Stamkos, TB	40	35	75
H.Sedin, Vcr	15	58	73
St. Louis, TB	20	49	69
Crosby, Pgh	32	34	66
Perry, Ana	30	36	66
Zetterberg, Det	18	48	66
B.Richards, Dal	24	39	63
Ovechkin, Wash	24	38	62
E.Staal, Car	27	31	58
Iginla, Cal	25	33	58
Kesler, Vcr	33	24	57
Nash, Clb	29	26	55
Giroux, Pha	21	34	55
Toews, Chi	20	35	55
Eriksson, Dal	19	36	55
Selanne, Ana	19	36	55
Kopitar, LA	17	38	55
Sharp, Chi	31	23	54
J.Carter, Pha	27	26	53
Backstrom, Wash	15	38	53
Tavares, NYI	23	29	52
J.Thornton, SJ	15	37	52
Briere, Pha	28	23	51
P.Kane, Chi	20	31	51
Havlat, Minn	19	32	51
M.Richards, Pha	18	33	51
Vanek, Buf	22	28	50
P.Bergeron, Bos	20	29	49
M.Koivu, Minn	15	34	49
Ribeiro, Dal	11	38	49
Ryan, Ana	28	20	48

GAMES

CANADA GAMES

MEDAL STANDINGS

At Halifax

Province	Gold	Silver	Bronze	Total
Quebec	30	28	20	78
Ontario	18	15	16	49
B.C.	15	17	16	48
Alberta	14	12	18	44
Saskatchewan	4	3	3	10
Manitoba	3	2	4	9
N.B.	0	3	3	6
N.L.	0	1	4	5
Yukon	3	0	1	4
Nova Scotia	1	0	1	2
P.E.I.	1	0	0	1
N.W.T.	0	0	0	0
Nunavut	0	0	0	0

SOCCER

EUROPEAN CHAMPIONS LEAGUE

Second Round
ROUND OF 16
First Leg
Yesterday's results
Copenhagen (Denmark) 0 Chelsea (England) 2
Lyon (France) 1 Real Madrid (Spain) 1

ENGLAND

PREMIER LEAGUE

Yesterday's result
Blackpool 3 Tottenham 1

TENNIS

WTA QATAR LADIES OPEN

At Doha, Qatar
Singles
First Round
Jelena Jankovic (5), Serbia, def. Fatma Al Nabhani, Oman, 6-1, 6-3.
Daniela Hantuchova, Slovakia, def. Victoria Azarenka (6), Belarus, 4-6, 6-1, 6-2.
Shahar Peer (8), Israel, def. Svetlana Kuznetsova, Russia, 6-2, 6-4.
Flavia Pennetta, Italy, def. Zheng Jie, China, 6-2, 6-2.
Peng Shuai, China, def. Kaia Kanepi, Estonia, 6-3, 6-2.
Vera Dushevina, Russia, def. Maria Jose Martinez Sanchez, Spain, 4-6, 6-1, 7-6 (1).
Dominika Cibulkova, Slovakia, def. Jarmila Groth, Australia, 6-4, 4-6, 7-6 (8).
Klara Zakopalova, Czech Republic, def. Alexandra Dulgheru, Romania, 7-6 (4), 6-2.
Sania Mirza, India, def. Bojana Jovanovski, Serbia, 6-2, 7-5.

ATP DELRAY BEACH CHAMPIONSHIPS

At Delray Beach, Fla.
Singles
First Round
Mardy Fish (2), U.S., def. Bjorn Phau, Germany, 5-0, retired.
Kevin Anderson (5), South Africa, def. Donald Young, U.S., 6-7 (5), 7-6 (4), 6-2.
Janko Tipsarevic (6), Serbia, def. Ivo Karlovic, Croatia, 7-6 (14), 7-6 (1).
Kei Nishikori, Japan, def. Brian Dabul, Argentina, 6-2, 7-6 (5).
Ivan Dodig, Croatia, def. Igor Kunitsyn, Russia, 6-4, 2-6, 6-3.
Blaz Kavcic, Slovenia, def. Michal Przysiezny, Poland, 6-1, 6-4.
Dudi Sela, Israel, def. Marinko Matosevic, Australia, 3-6, 6-1, 6-2.
Ryan Sweeting, U.S., def. Igor Andreev, Russia, 6-2, 6-3.
Alejandro Falla, Colombia, def. Jan Hajek, Czech Republic, 6-1, 2-0, retired.
Doubles
First Round
Matthew Ebden and Sam Groth, Australiam, def. James Cerretani, U.S., and **Adil Shamasdin, Pickering, Ont.,** 6-3, 6-4.

TRANSACTIONS

BASEBALL

MLB

AMERICAN LEAGUE
KANSAS CITY ROYALS—Agreed to terms with RHP Blake Wood, C Manny Pina, INF Jeff Bianchi, OF Lorenzo Cain and OF Jarrod Dyson on one-year contracts.
TEXAS RANGERS—Agreed to terms with RHP Fabio Castillo, INF Chris Davis, RHP Wilmer Font, LHP Matt Harrison, RHP Tommy Hunter, 1B Mitch Moreland and C Taylor Teagarden on one-year contracts.
NATIONAL LEAGUE
ATLANTA BRAVES—Agreed to terms with RHP Jairo Asencio, RHP Juan Abreu, RHP Brandon Beachy, RHP Erik Cordier, RHP Randall Delgado, RHP Cory Gearrin, RHP Craig Kimbrel, RHP Stephen Marek, RHP Kris Medlen, RHP Anthony Varvaro, LHP Lee Hyde, LHP Mike Minor, LHP Jose Ortegano, LHP Jonny Venters, INF Brooks Conrad, INF Brandon Hicks, 1B Freddie Freeman, OF Jason Heyward, OF Joe Mather, OF Jordan Schafer and OF Matt Young on one-year contracts.
HOUSTON ASTROS—Agreed to terms with LHP Fernando Abad on a one-year contract.

BASKETBALL

NBA

CHICAGO BULLS—Traded F James Johnson to Toronto for the 2011 first-round draft pick Toronto acquired from Miami.
SAN ANTONIO SPURS—Signed F Steve Novak to a second 10-day contract.

FOOTBALL

NFL

CAROLINA PANTHERS—Designated C Ryan Kalilhave as the franchise player.
CLEVELAND BROWNS—Designated K Phil Dawson as the franchise player.
DENVER BRONCOS—Signed CB Champ Bailey to a four-year contract.
NEW ORLEANS SAINTS—Released TE Jeremy Shockey.
SEATTLE SEAHAWKS—Signed CB Roy Lewis and WR Isaiah Stanback.
TAMPA BAY BUCCANEERS—Signed CB Ronde Barber to a one-year contract.
TENNESSEE TITANS—Named Dave Ragone wide receivers coach, Art Valero assistant offensive line coach, Chet Parlavecchio assistant special teams coach and Arthur Smith defensive assistant for quality control.

CFL

CALGARY STAMPEDERS—Signed LB Malik Jackson to a contract extension.
EDMONTON ESKIMOS—Released QB Jason Maas.
HAMILTON TIGER-CATS—Signed LB Jamall Johnson to a contract extension through the 2013 season.
WINNIPEG BLUE BOMBERS—Re-signed LB Joe Lobendahn.

HOCKEY

NHL

BOARD OF GOVERNORS—Approved the sale of the Buffalo Sabres to Terry Pegula.
COLUMBUS BLUE JACKETS—Activated RW Derek Dorsett off injured reserve.
DETROIT RED WINGS—Reassigned G Thomas McCollum from Grand Rapids (AHL) to Toledo (ECHL).
NASHVILLE PREDATORS—Assigned G Anders Lindback to Milwaukee (AHL). Recalled G Mark Dekanich and D Jon Blum from Milwaukee.
PHOENIX COYOTES—Recalled C Kyle Turris and D David Schlemko from San Antonio (AHL).
ST. LOUIS BLUES—Recalled D Tyson Strachan from Peoria (AHL).
VANCOUVER CANUCKS—Reassigned D Yann Sauve to Manitoba (AHL).

CURLING

2011 SCOTTIES TOURNAMENTS OF HEARTS

At Charlottetown
Round Robin

Province (Skip)	W	L
Saskatchewan (Holland)	7	0
Ontario (Homan)	6	1
Canada (J.Jones)	5	2
P.E.I. (Birt)	4	3
Alberta (Kleibrink)	4	3
Nova Scotia (Smith-Dacey)	4	3
B.C. (K.Scott)	3	4
Quebec (Larouche)	3	4
NWT/Yukon (Galusha)	2	5
New Brunswick (A.Kelly)	2	5
Manitoba (Overton-Clapham)	1	6
N.L. (S.Devereaux)	1	6

Yesterday's results
Ninth Draw
Nova Scotia 8 Manitoba 7 (extra end)
Canada 10 British Columbia 2
Northwest/Yukon Territories 7 New Brunswick 4
Quebec 10 Newfoundland & Labrador 6
Draw 10
British Columbia 7 Quebec 5
Prince Edward Island 7 Alberta 5
Canada 10 Newfoundland & Labrador 4
Saskatchewan 8 Ontario 5
Draw 11
Alberta 6 Manitoba 5
Ontario 8 New Brunswick 1
Prince Edward Island 6 Nova Scotia 3
Saskatchewan 9 Northwest/Yukon Territories 7
Today's games
(All times Eastern)
Draw 12, 8:30 a.m.
Canada vs. Ontario; Saskatchewan vs. Newfoundland & Labrador; Quebec vs. Alberta; British Columbia vs. Prince Edward Island.
Draw 13, 1:30 p.m.
Alberta vs. New Brunswick; Northwest/Yukon Territories vs. Prince Edward Island; Ontario vs. Manitoba; Saskatchewan vs. Nova Scotia.
Draw 14, 6:30 p.m.
Nova Scotia vs. Newfoundland & Labrador; Manitoba vs. Canada; Northwest/Yukon Territories vs. British Columbia; Quebec vs. New Brunswick.
Tomorrow's games
Draw 15, 8:30 a.m.
Prince Edward Island vs. Manitoba; Alberta vs. Nova Scotia; Saskatchewan vs. New Brunswick; Northwest/Yukon Territories vs. Ontario.
Draw 16, 1:30 p.m.
Quebec vs. Northwest/Yukon Territories; British Columbia vs. New Brunswick; Canada vs. Nova Scotia; Manitoba vs. Newfoundland & Labrador.
Draw 17, 6:30 p.m.
Saskatchewan vs. British Columbia; Ontario vs. Quebec; Prince Edward Island vs. Newfoundland & Labrador; Canada vs. Alberta.

LACROSSE

NLL

EAST DIVISION

	GP	W	L	Pct.	GF	GA	GB
Toronto	9	7	2	.778	101	78	—
Boston	9	6	3	.667	99	81	1
Buffalo	7	4	3	.571	78	67	2
Rochester	8	4	4	.500	72	87	2½
Philadelphia	8	4	4	.500	69	81	2½

WEST DIVISION

	GP	W	L	Pct.	GF	GA	GB
Calgary	8	5	3	.625	91	89	—
Minnesota	8	4	4	.500	80	74	1
Washington	9	4	5	.444	115	108	1½
Edmonton	8	2	6	.250	84	97	3
Colorado	8	1	7	.125	70	94	4

WEEK EIGHT
Saturday's games
Toronto at Philadelphia, 7:30 p.m.
Edmonton at Rochester, 7:35 p.m.

NBA

EASTERN CONFERENCE

	W	L	Pct	GB
d-Boston	41	14	.745	—
d-Miami	42	15	.737	—
d-Chicago	38	16	.704	2½
Orlando	36	21	.632	6
Atlanta	34	22	.607	7½
New York	28	26	.519	12½
Philadelphia	27	29	.482	14½
Indiana	25	30	.455	16
Charlotte	25	32	.439	17
Milwaukee	22	34	.393	19½
Detroit	21	37	.362	21½
New Jersey	17	40	.298	25
Washington	15	40	.273	26
Toronto	15	42	.263	27
Cleveland	10	46	.179	31½

WESTERN CONFERENCE

	W	L	Pct	GB
d-San Antonio	46	10	.821	—
Dallas	40	16	.714	6
d-L.A. Lakers	39	19	.672	8
d-Oklahoma City	36	19	.655	9½
Portland	32	24	.571	14
Denver	33	25	.569	14
New Orleans	33	25	.569	14
Utah	31	26	.544	15½
Memphis	31	27	.534	16
Phoenix	27	27	.500	18
Houston	27	31	.466	20
Golden State	26	30	.464	20
L.A. Clippers	21	36	.368	25½
Sacramento	13	41	.241	32
Minnesota	13	44	.228	33½

Last night's results
Charlotte 114 Toronto 101
Indiana 113 Washington 96
Houston 108 Detroit 100
Miami 117 Sacramento 97
Milwaukee 94 Minnesota 88
Oklahoma City 111 L.A. Clippers 88
Denver 120 Memphis 107
Boston 115 Golden State 93
L.A. Lakers 104 Atlanta 80
Tonight's games
(All times Eastern)
Oklahoma City at San Antonio, 7 p.m.
Houston at Cleveland, 7 p.m.
Detroit at Indiana, 7 p.m.
Sacramento at Orlando, 7 p.m.
Washington at Philadelphia, 7 p.m.
Chicago at Toronto, 7 p.m.
Milwaukee at New York, 7:30 p.m.
Memphis at Minnesota, 8 p.m.
Utah at Dallas, 8:30 p.m.
Atlanta at Phoenix, 9 p.m.
L.A. Clippers at New Orleans, 9:30 p.m.
L.A. Lakers at Portland, 10:30 p.m.
Tomorrow's games
Miami at Chicago, 8 p.m.
Boston at Denver, 10:30 p.m.

BOBCATS 114, RAPTORS 101

TORONTO (101)
Weems 9-13 0-0 19, A.Johnson 1-2 4-6 6, Bargnani 7-15 4-5 18, Calderon 3-7 0-0 6, DeRozan 7-15 0-0 14, Davis 4-8 0-0 8, Bayless 0-4 11-12 11, Barbosa 2-6 0-0 4, Ajinca 4-6 1-2 10, Wright 2-2 1-1 5, Dorsey 0-0 0-0 0. Totals 39-78 21-26 101.
CHARLOTTE (114)
Wallace 3-6 14-15 20, Diaw 6-10 3-3 16, K.Brown 3-6 2-3 8, Augustin 8-15 5-5 23, Jackson 5-11 2-2 13, Mohammed 4-9 0-2 8, Henderson 5-11 5-8 15, Najera 0-1 1-2 1, Livingston 2-7 2-2 6, D.Brown 0-1 0-0 0, Carroll 0-2 0-0 0, McGuire 2-2 0-0 4. Totals 38-81 34-42 114.

Toronto	27	17	25	32	101
Charlotte	33	28	28	25	114

3-Point Goals—Toronto 2-9 (Weems 1-1, Ajinca 1-2, Bayless 0-1, Barbosa 0-2, Bargnani 0-3), Charlotte 4-14 (Augustin 2-7, Jackson 1-3, Diaw 1-3, Wallace 0-1). Fouled Out—None. Rebounds—Toronto 47 (Bargnani 8), Charlotte 48 (Mohammed 14). Assists—Toronto 25 (Calderon 11), Charlotte 25 (Diaw 9). Total Fouls—Toronto 32, Charlotte 19. Technicals—Calderon, Toronto defensive three second, Charlotte defensive three second. A—12,976 (19,077) at Charlotte.

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By comparison

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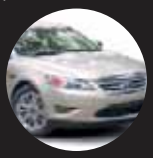
Sharp looks with focus on comfort. SHO model delivers lively performance.



Toyota Avalon
Base price: $42,600
Camry-based premium four-door that strives for Lexus-like fit and finish.

Buick LaCrosse
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Stylish, FWD/AWD sedan with thrifty four-cylinder or optional 280-hp V6.

WHEELBASE MEDIA

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More visibility

The slope of the 2011 Chrysler 300's windshield has been tilted back by 7.5 centimetres at the top, and the thickness of the door pillars has been reduced.

These changes, Chrysler claims, have increased outward visibility by 15 per cent. Other tweaks for 2011 include an integrated rear-deck spoiler, twin oval-shaped exhaust tips and a set of fast-acting and very bright light-emitting diode (LED) taillights.

Changes to the front

While the outside of the 300 retains the same basic shape as last year's model, the car has been treated to a new front end, including projector-style headlights and a simplified grille that actually appears less distinctive.

For any prospective customers who prefer the original egg-crate design, Chrysler can supply it or an optional mesh-style "Bentley" insert for that custom look.

Engine

The 300's specs now include a brand new 292-horsepower 3.6-litre V6 base engine that replaces the outgoing and weak-by-comparison 250-horse 3.5-litre V6 engine.

For best thrust, Chrysler's 5.7-litre "Hemi" V8 returns for 2011 with 363 horsepower and the ability to run on only four of its eight cylinders under light load conditions, which saves a bit of fuel.

▶ Chrysler has discovered that the details really do matter and has concentrated on sculpting rather than renovating. This 300 C (V8) is particularly elegant in black.

Chrysler's back into the luxury game

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Considering what has been going on at Chrysler for the last year or so, you can forgive the delayed introduction of the big and bold 300 sedan that was officially unveiled in early January at the North American International Auto Show in Detroit.

Since the automaker's takeover by Italy's Fiat organization, the designers and product planners now toiling for the reorganized Chrysler Group LLC have been busily reshaping, reinventing or rebranding just about every model in the company's lineup. And, well, that takes time.

Chrysler's flurry of activity sparked plenty of interest in Detroit, but what's all the hype about? The 300 doesn't look all that different from the 2010 model, does it?

As with the rest of the Chrysler line, the big sedan has been drastically upgraded in several crucial areas, chiefly the interior and under the hood.

For a base price of $34,400, which is unchanged from the 2010 300 (including destination costs), you can get the base Touring model. Of course there are numerous extra-cost items available that could boost the 300 C's base price well above the $45,000 threshold.

That's true luxury-car territory where the new 300 now really and truly belongs.

▶ The highlight of the redesign is likely the heavily upgraded material that blends new style and new materials for an effect that's more than the sum of its parts.

▶ A look at the 300's wheels and rims.

Chrysler 300

What you should know about the 2011 Chrysler 300:

- **Type:** Four-door, rear- /all-wheel-drive full-size sedan.
- **Engine (hp):** 3.6-litre DOHC V6 (292); 5.7-litre OHV V8 (363).
- **Transmission:** Five-speed automatic.
- **Market Position:** Full-size sedans generate only a small percentage of auto sales, but the revamped 300 is seen as setting the tone for the brand. In that role, it projects new-found luxury and style more fitting of an upscale car.
- **Points:** Not as much of a statement as the outgoing 300; The interior redesign is a major step up; Standard 3.6-litre V6 packs a decent punch and is easy on gas; 5.7-litre Hemi option is fun, but you'll pay at the pump; AWD option almost mandatory for winter excursions; Chrysler is keeping the price at 2010 level.
- **Stats:** L/100 km (city/hwy) 12.0/7.3(3.6, est.).

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That's a lot of horsepower

The last-generation Buick Regal delivered plenty of sauce

SECOND GEAR

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What's the 4-1-1?

- **Model:** 1997 to 2004 Buick Regal
- **Vehicle Type:** Sedan
- **Approximate used price range:** $1,000 to $8,000

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▶ 2002 Buick Regal

The Regal has long been the "sporty" model in Buick's lineup — and a last-generation model actually put down some pretty respectable numbers in the affordable sporty-sedan marketplace during its lifespan.

Available from 1997 to 2004, the last-gen Regal (now replaced by the new-for-2011 Regal), got a standard 3.8-litre V6 or a supercharged variant thereof, generating 200 or 240 horsepower.

The GM '3800' V6 is a simple, relatively efficient and relatively bulletproof engine — meaning it can be expected to perform without issue for years. All Regal models got a four-speed automatic transmission and drove the front wheels.

For an affordable car, the last-gen Regal delivered plenty of sauce.

Shoppers should note that the Regal "GS" got the supercharged engine, which will provide grin-inducing acceleration and make quick work of most Camrys and Accords at stop lights — though the up-level engine will consume more fuel and cost more to insure. The Regal LS with the standard engine is a more modest choice for some.

This five-seat sedan boasted features like automatic climate control, heated power seats, a sunroof, power accessories and an available "Monsoon" premium audio system.

What Owners Like

Performance and fuel mileage with either engine are typically highly-rated Regal attributes, as are the vehicle's looks, comfort levels and overall level of classiness.

What Owners Hate

Some cheap interior trimming and premature wear of some of Regal's interior surfaces are common gripes. Some owners wish for 'tighter' handling to match the engine performance, too.

Common Issues:

Though robust, the GM 3800 engine line was known for a short list of issues — including coolant leak in the intake system and bad manifold gaskets.

A GM-trained mechanic should be comfortable checking for these issues.

Wiring and sensor related issues may also cause driveability issues evidenced by sporadic power delivery, a rough idle or uneven acceleration.

Note that the majority of these issues are typically sensor related and not mechanical in nature.

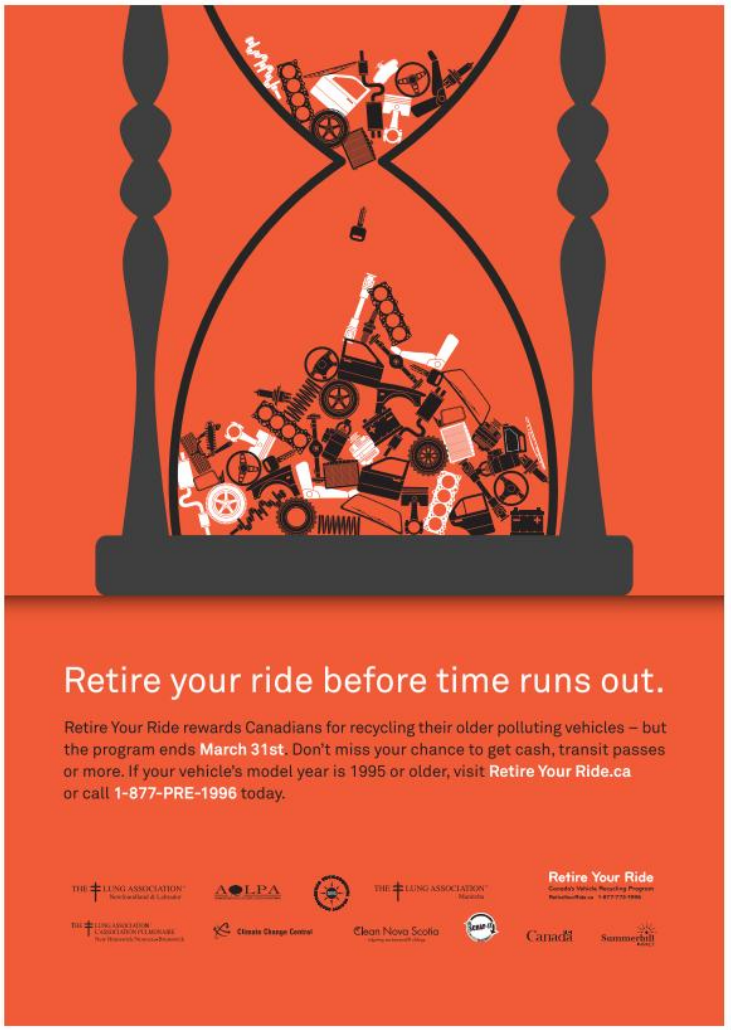
Have the machine you're considering 'scanned' for any check-engine lights or trouble codes, which could indicate a problem.

If visiting a mechanic's shop ahead of your purchase, request an inspection for coolant, oil or transmission fluid leaks beneath the car, too.

The Verdict

A healthy and well-maintained used Regal should prove an affordable, comfortable, sporty and easy-to-maintain sedan.

The available supercharged engine in the Regal GS will also help connect with modern-day muscle-sedan enthusiasts, too.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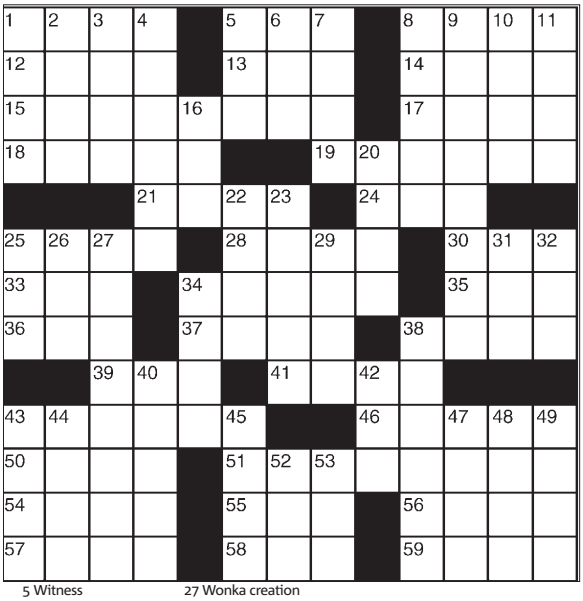

Across

1 Writer Kingsley
5 Hot tub
8 Adam and Eve's son
12 Dog owner's chore
13 Work unit
14 Burning heap
15 High score in darts
17 Ogler's look
18 Apportion
19 Kitchen rack fillers
21 "Memory" musical
24 Greek vowel
25 Hoist
28 Beams of light
30 Agree silently
33 — Khan
34 "Likewise"
35 Rotation duration
36 Thither
37 Fine
38 Information unit
39 "— Kapital"
41 Christmas refrain
43 Father Time's prop
46 Festive parties
50 Exile isle
51 "Who Wants to Be a Millionaire" lifeline
54 Gridiron terminus
55 Bikini half
56 Great Lake
57 Shrek is one
58 Stitch
59 Timetable, for short

Down

"Mamma Mia" group
2 Manhandle
3 "— do for now"
4 Cheap merchandise
5 Witness
6 Crowbar
7 Census statistics
8 Gymnastic maneuver
9 Something superficially attractive
10 Genealogy chart
11 Divorce settlement portion
16 Depot (Abbr.)
20 Mexican money
22 "Star —"
23 Beelzebub
25 Funny Leno
26 Back when
27 Wonka creation
29 Vacillate
31 Feedbag morsel
32 Coloring agent
34 Slam-dance
38 Trumpet sounds
40 "— of Two Cities"
42 Early bird?
43 Lily variety
44 Stop up
45 Recedes
47 Caprice
48 "... baked in —"
49 Molt
52 Exist
53 Uncivilized

▶ Yesterday's answer

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Sudoku

8					6	2	3	
	1			7		5	8	
9			3					6
				2			5	3
		7				6		
5	3			8				
7					4			5
	4	5		6			1	
	6	9	1					2

How to play

Fill in the grid, so that every row, every column and every 3x3 box contains the digits 1-9. There is no math involved. You solve the puzzle with reasoning and logic.

Yesterday's answer ▶

5	4	8	7	1	6	3	2	9
6	7	9	3	5	2	4	8	1
1	3	2	9	8	4	5	6	7
3	1	6	8	2	9	7	5	4
8	9	5	1	4	7	6	3	2
7	2	4	5	6	3	9	1	8
2	5	7	6	9	8	1	4	3
4	6	3	2	7	1	8	9	5
9	8	1	4	3	5	2	7	6

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Nate, Good luck on your studies. I'll always be here supporting and loving you. Yours always, **EMILY**

Today's horoscope

For today's crossword answers and for expanded horoscopes, go to metronews.ca

♈ Aries March 21-April 20 As of today, you will be back in command and eager to make up for lost time. But don't be so eager that you neglect to use your brain. Energy can take you only so far.

♉ Taurus April 21-May 21 If you say the wrong thing today there is a real possibility that you will make an enemy of someone who has the power to cause you serious trouble. You are entitled to your opinions, but don't be so blunt!

♊ Gemini May 22-June 21 If you want to move up in the world, start thinking about how you can accomplish it. Don't limit your thinking to past experiences, because you can create new experiences.

♋ Cancer June 22-July 22 Mars, planet of energy, moves into one of the best areas of your chart today, so don't hold back. Be active, be ambitious and be adventurous. All things are possible, but you've got to believe in yourself.

♌ Leo July 23-Aug.23 Make sure you get paid the going rate for whatever task it is you are required to do today. Others will sell you short, but only if you let your guard down.

♍ Virgo Aug. 24- Sept. 22 Now that Mars is moving into your opposite sign of Pisces, you must be careful how you relate to people in your personal life and at work. Try not to be too aggressive or they will be even more aggressive in return.

♎ Libra Sept. 23-Oct. 23 Even if you are the kind of Libra who does not much like crowds, you'll want to be out and mixing with people today. New social contacts could soon be business contacts, too.

♏ Scorpio Oct. 24-Nov. 22 Mars, your co-ruler, moves into the most decisive and dynamic area of your chart today. You will be even more ambitious and assertive than usual.

♐ Sagittarius Nov. 23-Dec. 21 You must not let your emotions get the better of you. When dealing with family and friends resist the temptation to lay down the law because it will only make matters worse. Find gentle ways to persuade them.

♑ Capricorn Dec. 22-Jan. 20 You talk a good fight but how are you when it comes to getting down and dirty? As Mars moves in your favour today, you won't hesitate to back up your words with action.

♒ Aquarius Jan. 21-Feb. 18 Mars moves out of your birth sign today, but that does not mean you will be less energetic than you have been in recent weeks. You will, however, need to focus your efforts.

♓ Pisces Feb. 19-March 20 This is going to be an extremely busy, and potentially extraordinary, time for you. With Mars, planet of ambition, joining the Sun and Mercury in your sign today you won't lack for self-belief. SALLY BROMPTON

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